



Township Register



COVERING WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP, ALAMEDA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, INCLUDING
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NEWS OF MEN



IN SERVICE

SOLDIERS ARE GUESTS

Mrs. Roland Bendel, Chairman of the Service Men's Recreation Committee of the Washington Township Country Club reports that 16 U.S. Army Air Corps men were entertained on Christmas at homes in this section. Those who took part in the entertainment of the men were Mrs. E. D. Bristow, Mrs. Marion Newman, Mrs. Gladys Williamson, Mrs. Fritz Waltenberger and Mrs. Laurence Bunting. Transportation for the men was provided by Mr. and Mrs. Marion Newman.

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Mrs. Agnes Nihill has received word of the death of her nephew, Lieutenant WILLIAM BENNETT, of Nevada City, while in action in New Guinea. Lieutenant Bennett was awarded the Silver Star and was made flight commander in New Guinea recently.

Corporal NIELS NIELSEN has written to friends in Niles telling them how much he enjoys reading the Township Register. He writes that he even reads all of the local ads thoroughly.

Fire Chief Joe Pashote and Mrs. Pashote returned from camp Carson Colorado where they spent the holidays with their son, Private EUGENE PASHOTE.

Mrs. Murrel Harris has returned home after accompanying her husband Warrant Officer MURREL HARRIS, United States Army, as far as Seattle.

JAMES VANCE, California State Guard, So. H. left for Oklahoma for a two weeks visit with his parents after which he will return to be inducted into the United States Army.

KENNETH FERRY, of the Naval Reserve who has been stationed at Treasure Island for some time, visited friends in Alvarado on Monday afternoon.

LESTER WATKINS, who is in the U. S. Army, returned to Kansas after spending a furlough at the

Sergeant Ray McNULTY of Decoto is stationed with the U. S. Army in Arkansas.

RAYMOND PERRY, who is in the U. S. Army has been transferred to Texas.

TONY PANIAGUA and EDDIE BETTENCOURT, who enlisted in the U. S. Navy, are now stationed at San Pedro.

LAWRENCE MOISE left Niles Tuesday for service in the U. S. Navy.

A cablegram was received in Niles Sunday from NIELS NIELSEN who is stationed in New Guinea, wishing his friends a Happy New Year.

Ensign EDMUND JAUCH of the U. S. Coast Guard has been the house guest recently of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Robbins. He reported for duty in San Francisco on Wednesday.

Smilin' Jack says—



"You know, it's swell of the folks at home to buy War Bonds the way they're doing. I understand everybody is going to be signed up for 10% of their pay by New Year's!"

GRAUS ARE LEAVING

Friends of the Dr. E. C. Grau family in this vicinity will be sorry to learn that Mrs. Grau and daughter Betty are leaving their lovely home at Niles on February 1 to make their home (if they can find one!) with their husband and father who is a Captain, stationed at Camp Adair, near Corvallis, Oregon. Mrs. Grau has leased her home to a couple of commissioned instructors from the Livermore Air Base who will occupy the new home here. Their title is "celestial" instructors, meaning they teach aviators how to fly by the stars. Mrs. Grau's nursing instruction class among the Mexican population at Niles has been discontinued. Mrs. Grau and her daughter returned to Niles New Year's Eve from a two weeks visit with the Captain in Oregon.

— Bonds for Bombs —

TIRES MUST BE INSPECTED BY JANUARY 31

Had your tires inspected yet?

Well, there's no particular hurry, but to assure yourself gasoline and tires in the future you'll have to have them inspected and certified by January 31.

This friendly warning was issued today by Mr. Roeding, chairman of OPA's Niles War Price and Rationing Board.

"The regulations require that 'A' book holders have their tires inspected every four months, and 'B' and 'C' book holders, every 60 days," Mr. Roeding said.

"This periodical inspection routine was created for the express purpose of preserving the nation's remaining tire carcasses, most of which are on running wheels today."

"It is important, when a tire wears down to the point where the carcass is endangered, that the motorist be given a certificate for a recapping job or a replacement."

"Thus the government not only hopes to give some sort of rubber to all motorists for as long as possible, but will guard against the total loss of tire carcasses."

The government has authorized tire inspectors to make a nominal charge of 25 cents per car, Mr. Roeding said.

However, a charge of 50 cents per tire may be made where it is necessary to dismount the tire. Higher rates prevail for heavy truck tires. A full list of official Washington Township tire inspection stations will be published in our next issue. Watch for it!

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PLEASE MAIL IN YOUR CONTRIBUTION TO BOY SCOUTS

With only approximately half of the \$1500 quota for 1942 raised in the annual financial campaign of the Washington Township district for Boy Scouts, second notices are being sent by mail to former subscribers who are urged to send contributions in order that the drive may be completed by the end of the year.

Checks have been received from three local industrial organizations says E. D. Bristow, general chairman. The clay workers' union at the California Pottery Company donated \$50, this sum being matched by the company. The blacksmiths' union at the Pacific States Steel Company also sent in a check for \$25.

Due to inability to make personal contacts because of transportation conditions the committee is asking that all those who wish the scouting program continued in the township to mail a check to Bristow at Niles or Dr. George Holman at Centerville, treasurer for the district.

— Bonds for Bombs —

HUGH MOODY of Niles, with the Signal Corp in Hawaii, has been promoted to Corporal, according to his sister, Mrs. Joseph Buell.

Seaman First Class CLARENCE V. TELLES of Mission San Jose has been transferred from Camp Bradford, Norfolk, Virginia to further training at Camp Perry, Williamsburg, Virginia.

Sergeant JACK PARRY of Niles concluded his sick leave with his mother at Niles and is now back on duty with the Agent Finance Officer at Hill Field, Ogden, Utah.

Quick Meal



THE ALGIERS AIRFIELD at Maison Blanche was quickly occupied by Royal Air Force fighter planes and ground crews immediately after it had been captured by American forces. This picture shows an R.A.F. pilot and ground staff officer cooking up a hasty meal beside their Spitfire fighter planes in an interval before taking to the air again to fight off Axis attacks on Allied troops and ships.

REAL ESTATE CO. DISSOLVES PARTNERSHIP

The L. E. Bailey Real Estate company at Niles has dissolved partnership and will vacate its office on the west end of Main street within a month, Eric Stenhammer, one of the partners advises this newspaper.

Mr. Stenhammer plans to open an office on the tract at Canyon Heights, at the entrance to Niles Canyon where considerable house-building activity is now going forward, with more demands for houses from cash buyers than there are house available, he says.

A survey is now being made by the Niles Postoffice with a view to extending the rural free delivery service to the Canyon Heights tract, where more than a dozen families are now living, who live but a few hundred yards from the present rural route run.

Stenhammer plans to continue to operate the tract under the name of Canyon Heights Development company, and is already at work developing a second and larger tract to the east of the present subdivision.

Mr. Bailey has not announced his plans for the future.

— Bonds for Bombs —

FIRST SEWING CLASS OPENS WEDNESDAY AT NILES SCHOOL

(Special to the Register)

The long-sought women's sewing class at Niles, which has been in the course of being organized for several months past, will begin regular Wednesday evening meetings beginning next Wednesday at 7 in the Niles Grammar school, according to Warren Gravestock.

Instruction will be given by Mrs. Mette and there is no fee. Instruction will be given in the making of dress forms, and women of the community are invited to come and bring their sewing problems.

Niles women are also invited to attend the regular Monday evening classes at Washington High school if they wish, as well as the Wednesday evening classes at Niles.

Mr. Gravestock is arranging to have a sewing machine demonstrator come to some of the classes, to demonstrate the use of the modern electric sewing machine.

The classes will last two hours and women of this community are urged to attend.

— Bonds for Bombs —

MRS. ROSE FONTES, 90 OF CENTERVILLE, DIES

CENTERVILLE — Mrs. Rose L. Fontes, 90 resident of Centerville for 14 years, was given final rites Monday at the Chapel of the Palms with mass at the Holy Ghost Church and interment at the Holy Ghost Cemetery.

She was a native of the Azores. Survivors are the following children: Manuel and Joseph of Livingston, Mary Rodriguez and Lucia Furtado of the Azores, Amelia Maderios of Centerville, also two brothers, Winslow Rose of Tulare and John Bernardo of the Azores.

CENSORSHIP ASKS WITHHOLDING OF SPECIFIC UNITS

On battle fronts every day men risk their lives to discover the location and strength of the military units of the enemy. Yet at home, too many of us are presenting the enemy with information of the same military value, the Office of Censorship says in a statement.

This is the information which newspapers and individuals are asked not to tell the enemy:

NO NOT TELL the names of ships upon which sailors serve.

DO NOT TELL the troop units in which soldiers serve overseas.

There is no objection to revealing that Pvt. Jones is in Australia or that Seaman Tom Brown saw action in the Atlantic, but there is military information which endangers the lives of American fighting men in stating that Pvt. Jones, "Company C, 600th Infantry," is in Australia, or Seaman Tom Brown, "Aboard the U.S.S. Wisconsin," is in the Atlantic.

The Office of Censorship says: "We ask editors not to publish these troop identifications, and we ask parents and relatives not to reveal them. Don't give the enemy anything that may lengthen the war!"

— Bonds for Bombs —

ONLY SEVENTY SEVEN TEEN AGE YOUTHS REGISTER

Only 77 teen-age boys registered in the recent three weeks' Selective Service registration at Draft Board No. 75, representing Washington Pleasanton and Murray Townships.

First estimates had placed the number expected to register at 200 and after check of enlistments, 100 was anticipated. The boys, 25 of whom represent half the graduating boys at Washington Union High School will receive questionnaires this week and will probably be called during January and February.

In Washington Township 50 boys registered, nine in Pleasanton and 18 in Livermore.

— Bonds for Bombs —

CENTERVILLE BOARD ELECTS NEW TEACHERS

The Centerville Elementary School Board of Trustees granted Mrs. Cecile Whitaker, seventh grade teacher and director of the school orchestra, a six months leave of absence. Mrs. Whitaker plans to reside in Riverside where her husband a second lieutenant in the United States Army is stationed.

Mrs. Alice Lambrecht was elected to teach the seventh grade class for the next six months, and Mr. Dwight Thornburg will assist in directing the school orchestra.

B AND C RATION HOLDERS WARNED

Motorists operating their automobiles under B or C Gasoline Rationing Books are warned by the Outing Department of the National Automobile Club not to use their gasoline in driving to skiing and snow sports areas, as should this fact be reported to the OPA offices

JAPANESE SCOUTS

Friends of W. T. Lindsay, former Boy Scout Executive in Southern Alameda County will be interested to know he left Los Angeles on Saturday morning for Manzanar, the Japanese Relocation Center in Inyo County, California, to complete organization of Boy Scouting activities among the Japanese boys there. Mrs. Lindsay and daughter, Miss Elizabeth and son Andrew are well and happy and are getting used to their new location in the South. They send greetings to their friends in Washington Township.

— Bonds for Bombs —

VISITOR SUGGESTS OPENING SMALL FARM TRACTS HERE

"You Southern Alameda County businessmen should give a thought to offering small rural acreages which defense workers from back East can purchase and settle upon after the war ends" was the suggestion made by M. R. McMillan, San Francisco newspaperman, before the Monday luncheon meeting of the Niles Chamber of Commerce with Dr. T. C. Wilson presiding.

As former travel editor of a San Francisco daily McMillan had questioned many defense workers in the Vallejo and Richmond areas and had found that 50 percent of them were family men, with substantial ambitions to become residents of the Golden State after the war ends and their employment at the shipyards is terminated.

"Five and 10 acre plots in this climatically ideal section of California would provide attractive home sites for new California families where chickens could be raised and truck and fruit could be produced to help feed California's increasing population after the war ends," McMillan said.

E. A. Elsworth commented that land could be had for this purpose, and that truck land vacated by the Japanese was in nearly all cases owned by local white people, rather than Japanese.

Walter Waynflete mentioned the high returns some intensive farmers had received last fall for their crops in Tulare County, fourth richest agricultural county in the nation, citing one 40 acre farmer who raised 200 sacks of potatoes to the acre and sold them for seed at 3 1/2¢ per pound, or \$700 gross revenue per acre.

Another farmer with a large family who helped him take special care of a 10 acre patch of celery realized a gross return of \$2,800, per acre this fall, he said.

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SOUTHERN COUNTY C. E. TO GATHER AT HAYWARD CHURCH

NEWARK — There will be a Christian Young Peoples' Interdenominational Rally at 5:00 p.m. January 17, at the Congregational Church in Hayward. Young people from Junior High School age to College age are invited.

The purpose of this get together is to make it possible for the Christian Young People of Southern Alameda County to become better acquainted.

There is to be an hour of recreation, followed by a song service. The message is to be given by a Methodist minister from Oakland. All people attending are asked to bring sandwiches for themselves. The host church will furnish a hot drink.

Reverend Jackson L. Webster reports that about twenty five young people from Southern Alameda County will attend.

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VOLUNTEER NURSES ARE STILL NEEDED

If you are a former nurse, but are inactive at the present time, your services are badly needed by you Emergency Medical Service.

Miss Ruth McCullagh, nurse deputy in charge of recruitments for the State Council of Defense Emergency Medical Service, says the service is crippled in many sections of the state for lack of volunteer nurses. She asks that all inactive nurses volunteer for duty with their Emergency Service by registering at their local defense council.

— Read the Editorials! —

It is very likely that the books will be cancelled.

CURRENT AFFAIRS CLASSES OFFER FINE PROGRAMS

F. B. I. MAN TO SPEAK AT NILES ON JANUARY 19

The second evening in the series of new Current Affairs classes for adults will be held on Tuesday, January 19 in the Niles Grammar school auditorium, beginning at 8 o'clock, Principal Jack Rees of Centerville announces.

This will be an outstanding event, with a special speaker coming to Niles that evening from the Federal Bureau of Investigation in San Francisco, who will talk about the F.B.I. in the War effort. Mr. Rees hopes also to have a speaker here from the District Attorney's office to supplement the first address, using as his topic, Local Law Enforcement and Juvenile Delinquency.

At the conclusion of the address or addresses Mr. Rees will conduct a public forum when members of the audience may ask question of the speaker.

The following Tuesday night, January 26, the feature of the evening will be a 60 or 70 minute sound film entitled "Target for Tonight", revealing the complete story of an RAF bomber attack on Germany.

Next Monday night, January 11, Mr. Rees will speak in the visual education room at the high school on Soviet Russia, followed by the showing of a film entitled Road to Victory, provided by the Office of War Information. A discussion period will follow, as usual.

On Monday night January 25 the Centerville program will be the same as that given above for Niles on January 26. These classes are open to the public, and the larger the attendance the better grade of program can be offered, according to Mr. Rees.

The schedule for February tentatively calls for classes every Monday night, alternating between Centerville and Niles with a different program, probably a paid or non-paid speaker, each of the four evenings. Forum lovers whose gasoline supplies permit, may thus attend all four classes, coming from Niles to Centerville and vice versa.

— Bonds for Bombs —

MORNING FIRE AROUSES NILES \$400 DAMAGE

The peace and quiet of the west end of Niles was broken before 3 o'clock last Thursday morning when the fire siren went off twice and the two big trucks came rolling down to the end of G street. The John Re home at the corner of Third and G street was oozing smoke from every door and window.

Fire Chief Alves and his bully boys traced the smoke to the cement basement where John's sleeping bag and leather hunting coat had been ignited, probably by rats, and were emitting volumes of smoke.

The underside of the floor joists were scorched, and fire and smoke damaged household and camping goods stored in the basement to the extent of an estimated \$400 damage.

— Bonds for Bombs —

CHILD IS BURIED

Charles Gonzales, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gonzales of 19 Sycamore Avenue, Niles, died at an Oakland hospital and was given final rites from the Berge Mortuary Company parlors here with Father Timothy Hennessy officiating. Interment was in the Holy Ghost Cemetery at Centerville. Several brothers and sisters survive.

Coming Events

MONDAY

8 p.m. Current Affairs class at Centerville. Discussion on Russia and an O.W.I. film.

7 p.m. Regular sewing class at Washington High school, Centerville.

WEDNESDAY

Evening high school class in Gardening starts at Washington High.

7 p.m. First sewing class at Niles Elementary School.

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WALTER WAYNFLETE
Editor and Owner

GETTING THE BEST OF OUR ENEMIES

Says Ray Tucker in his syndi-
cated column:

Confidential communiques from
various battlefields, concerning
American superiority in personnel
and munitions have given Wash-
ington a cheery attitude at the
New Year opens. In every sector,
from Bizerte to Guadacanal, our
lads are outfighting and outman-
euvering the Germans and Japs.

Stories of our supremacy in the
air are almost incredible. Recent
reports state that Hirohito's avia-
tors refuse to tackle our latest
models. U. S. troops in both front
and rear lines in North Africa re-
main unmolested for weeks by the
Luftwaffe. Our Garand rifle is the
finest instrument of its kind. So
are our artillery pieces and tanks.
Success in conveying soldiers and
supplies to every corner of the uni-
verse has been so startling that it
amazes top rankers in the service
supply.

On the other hand Nipponese
and Nazi weapons are steadily de-
teriorating. Our flyers in the Solo-
mons and New Guinea send back
word that most of Tokyo's best air-
men have been killed. Its present
day pilots are only second-raters.
The economy of our enemies has
been severely strained, whereas
our factories have just begun to
roll in a big way.

It has been your editor's thesis
from the beginning that our airmen
and airplanes were the best in the
world, and we would lick the
enemy, Jap or German, once we
could get at him.

Time and experience now prove
my belief... and it's only a matter
of time until we win. —W.W.

We will make every sacrifice for
a dictated peace but we will not
give one thought to a negotiated
peace — that should be our first
and foremost resolution for this
year of opportunity" says Major
George Fielding Elliott. And that
my friends, should be everyone's
decision and ambition this year.

TIME TO DIM-OUT THE DIM-OUT

Does seem the strict dim-out
regulations are causing more
deaths among civilians in traffic
accidents than would be lost if
enemy submarines (if there were
any enemy submarines now oper-
ating off our West Coast) had sunk
half a dozen tankers or merchant-
men. When was the last vessel re-
ported sunk off the Pacific Coast?

Last September? Or was it June of
last year?

Tennyrate: Californians killed
and injured in traffic accidents in
California alone last year exceeded
all our losses in dead, wounded and
missing, in all branches of our
armed forces since the war began.

Still we don't bat a hair about
our dreadful highway losses. And
the dim-out regulations make the
situation worse. With no enemy
submarines in sight. Can't we relax
a little, General DeWitt?

COLD & DARK

Why do we Township business-
men get up at 7 o'clock (war time)
and open our places of business at
8 o'clock, (really 7 o'clock sun
time) in the chill of he gray of the
dawn?

There are few customers about
that time of day (or night!) The
sun does not peep up over the hills
until about 8:30 a.m.

Why not universally open our
places of business at 9 o'clock?
Business is not so rushing that it
cannot be entirely cared for be-
ginning an hour later in the day...

and that extra hour in our warm
beds early in the morning surely
feels good to the T.B.M.

Let's advance our business open-
ing hour to 9 o'clock, (really 8
o'clock sun time) during the cold,
winter months, here in Washington
Township. Our customers will not
care, because most of them are not
up and around, anyway. —W.W.

HATS OFF TO MR. BERCHEM

With the meat scarcity as it is,
with two of our three meat mar-
kets closed, and with outsiders
coming to Niles one remaining
butcher shop to buy their meat, it
should be a matter of gratification
to the many Township customers of
the Quality Meat Market at Niles
that the proprietor, Mr. Berchem
has seen fit to stay open and work
long hours in order to keep the
homes of his local patrons supplied
with meat.

With his sons in the Navy Mr.
Berchem now gets up at 5 a.m. and
cuts meat for three hours in the
effort to stock his showcases. That
meat is all sold out by 11 a.m. when
he has to close the store and cut
more meat until 2 p.m. when he
opens up again to take care of his
local customers. This is a very fa-
tigueing schedule and Mr. Berchem
is feeling the strain. Meat cutters
of course, are not to be had.

Report has it that Mr. Berchem
has been approached by big city
restaurants and hotels, all but beg-
ging him to sell his entire meat
output to these out-of-town eating
places. To do this would lighten
his work considerably.

That Mr. Berchem has declined

18% OF HER PAY GOES INTO WAR BONDS

War Plant Worker Buys Bonds for Warrior Husband

Although she has two children
to support on her wages as a pow-
er press operator at a war plant,
Mrs. Mabel W. puts 18% of her
pay every week into War Bonds
through the Payroll Savings Plan.
Mrs. W. thinks of every bond
she buys in terms of what it can
do for her soldier husband out in
Australia. "Already," she says,
"I've bought Jim a Garand rifle
and a gas mask in War Bonds. I
feel I'm helping to bring him back
safe and sound!"

You Can Spare 10%!
Maybe you can't save as much
as 18% of your salary in War



Bonds. But you can stretch your-
self a bit more—make a few "sac-
rifices"—and reach Uncle Sam's
goal of 10% for War Bonds every
payday! Sign up today with the
Payroll Savings Plan where you
work!

to "sell out" his local trade of
many years standing is a fine thing,
valuing as he does the trade and
good will of the hundreds of Town-
ship families whose patronage
have made his shop the busiest in
Washington Township.

With six clerks working, his cus-
tomers line up 25 and 30 deep. Mr.
Berchem is endeavoring to work
out a schedule of hours which will
enable him to get his meat cut for
his cases, serve his customers, and
somehow get a little more rest for
himself.

An announcement regarding his
store hours will probably appear
in the next issue of this newspaper.

Speaking just for my own
family: "Mr. Berchem deserves
everyone's gratitude for putting the
welfare of his home customers
first, where he could make easier
profits with less work by selling
his entire stock to city restaurants."

What would we in Niles do with-
out the Quality Meat Market and
Mr. Berchem and his staff? —WW

The Japs, with their recent con-
quests, are held by the nazi to be
a distinctly offensive asset, a col-
umnist concludes. As time goes on
the Japs will become increasingly
offensive... to the nazis.

When a soldier gets a bullet in
his insides the Army issues a bul-
let-in.

NILES LOCALS

Miss Rosemary McDonald
Correspondent

The new Gardening class for
adults in the evening high school
series starts next Wednesday eve-
ning at Washington Union High
school with Tom Robbins instruct-
ing. Those interested in this subject
are invited to attend.

Stamp No. 28 in your Ration
Book 1 is now good for a pound of
coffee for each person in your
household over 15 years of age, and
expires on February 8.

Walter Kleinsasser returned to
Niles Tuesday morning from Los
Angeles, after seeing the Rose
Bowl game in Pasadena on New

Year's Day, and enjoying a week-
end visit with the W. T. Lindsay
family in Los Angeles.

Reverend Henry Stauffer of Ber-
keley, who has frequently occu-
pied the pulpit at the Niles Congre-
gational Church has had charge of
the Suisun Congregational Church
for some months past, a letter sent
this newspaper reveals.

W. G. Wagoner, cattle raiser,
spoke before the Thursday noon
luncheon meeting of the Niles Ro-
tary club in the City of Florence
Restaurant on the topic: Govern-
ment Program for Recruiting Dogs
for War Service.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duffie and
son Freddie entertained at cards
and refreshments in their home on
New Year's Eve for Mr. and Mrs.
Paul Offel and Mr. and Mrs. Wal-
ter Waynflete.

Cauliflower harvesting is going
forward rapidly at present in the
Alvarado-Decoto section of Wash-
ington Township, with fine heads
being sent to market by truck.

The Toyon Branch of the East
Bay Baby Hospital met Monday at
the home of Mrs. J. A. McDonald.
A Kitchen shower was given by
the members for Lorraine Smith.
The next meeting will be held at
the home of Mrs. John Sutton in
Centerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Rice of
Oakland spent New Year's at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence
Crane.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Solinsky of
Sutter Creek announce the birth
of a daughter on December 20 in
Sacramento. Frank Solinsky, Jr.,
is visiting at the home of his
grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C.
Shinn of Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Robbins
entertained at a family party on
New Year's. Their guests were
Mr. and Mrs. J. Robbins and
daughter Florence of Oakland,
Mrs. Hattie Murman of Oakland,
and Mrs. J. R. Grace and
daughters, Jacqueline and Barbara
of Burlingame.

Miss Bernice Johnson of Oak-
land left New Year's Day on the
streamliner for Atlantic City where
she will become the bride of Lieut-
enant William Burt. Miss Johnson
formerly resided in Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bonde en-
tertained at a New Year's party.
Mrs. Hazel Attinger Heidelberg

Wants!

RATES: 2c per word first in-
sertion, 1c per word on repeat
of same copy. Minimum charge
25c.

LOST

Two months old Bulldog, male,
Saturday about 5 near Pacific
States Steel. Brown, four white
feet, white throat. Reward.
Notify A. W. Bader, Route Box
545-B, Niles. —1 2p

FOR SALE

Princess dresser, Chefournier,
Chair, Wedgewood cook stove,
lid top; Piano. Call at Mrs. R.
F. Rose, 320 I Sts. Niles. —2 3p

WANTED

Office girl full time, at The Town-
ship Register, Niles. Apply in per-
son.

FOR SALE

IF you want a radiator, generator,
starter, bumpers, headlights, or
any glass off a 1929 Dodge, all
in good condition, see Signal
Station, Irvington. —1 2p

Dead Stock Wanted

WANTED—All kinds of live stock.
Dead stock removed on short
notice. General hauling. Cor-
ner Third and F streets, near
school. Manuel Pementel. Phone
4418. Niles.

and son Jack of San Francisco
visited friends in Niles on Satur-
day.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bunker of
Oakland announce the birth of a
daughter on December 31 at the
Merritt Hospital in Oakland.

The Friendly Sewing Circle will
meet on Monday, January 11 at the
home of Mrs. Olive Pugmire, Mrs.
Pugmire will be assisted in enter-
taining by Mrs. Anna Bradford and
Mrs. Ivy Cull. Election of officers
will be held at this meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Martin
spent the Christmas holidays at
the home of Mrs. Martin's niece in
San Mateo.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Duffey and
family and Mr. and Mrs. H. Snell
were the guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Fred Drew at a holiday party at
the San Jose Country Club on Sun-
day.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Walpert spent
Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. A. J.
Petsche.

LOCAL ITEMS

The office of Defense Transpor-
tation has set January 15, 1943, as
the deadline for tire inspection for
pickups and trucks.

A full list of Washington Township
accredited tire inspection stations
will be published in the next issue
of The Township Register.

Watch for it!

— Bonds for Bombs —

no more
after eating
discomfort

I Take The
sensible RAMOS
WAY now...

Thousands and thousands of peo-
ple have discovered that RAMOS
Rejuvino Alkalizer gives them
quick, pleasant relief after over-
indulgence. They eat what they
like and like what they eat... be-
cause RAMOS combats hyperacidi-
ty, relieves distress and permits
them to eat what they like with-
out disagreeable after effects.
RAMOS is a scientific compound of
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The FARMERS CORNER

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The newly-convened 1943 State Legislature, working in harmony with Governor Earl Warren, has a golden opportunity during the months ahead to achieve a constructive record of accomplishment which will be of vital assistance to the people of California in coping with the critical problems of the war period.

The new Legislature also has an opportunity — and an obligation — to put an end to the dangerous trend toward bureaucratic expansion and experimentation which has been far too evident in State Government during recent years. There is an opportunity to usher in a new era of good will in California, of sound economics and sound government — with all the people, public officials and citizens alike, pulling in harness.

If the people back home were fashioning the legislative program here, in broad outline, is what we believe they would ask of the State Legislature this year:

1. All necessary legislation to aid the State in meeting its tremendous war-time responsibilities, efficiently and quickly, both with regard to war production and an adequate civilian defense. Fortunately, Governor Warren, in his former capacity as Attorney General, has had an excellent opportunity to study the State's needs in this regard — and the flaws in the present program — and will undoubtedly take the initiative in submitting a plan of legislative action.

2. A streamlined State Budget, providing economy in every department of government, eliminating waste and duplication and requiring public officials and public employees to make the same sacrifices and the same adjustments required of private business and rank and file citizens. With the drastic manpower shortage and with the need for rigid economy in State spending, so that the people's earnings can be used for the all-important task of winning the war, all non-essential boards and agencies should be cancelled out; top-heavy staffs in other offices should be reduced — and when State employees are called into military service, their duties should be consolidated, if possible, with those of employees remaining.

3. Immediate enactment of a program of State tax reduction to provide taxpayers with a partial offset toward their greatly increased Federal tax burdens. This is both practical and feasible as a result of the rapidly-mounting State surplus resulting from boom war-time spending and the resultant pick-up in State revenues. A large State surplus is an open invitation to governmental extravagance and taxes should be scaled down so that all classes of taxpayers share in the relief.

4. Curbing of bureaucratic meddling and needless governmental regulation of the private lives of citizens; in this respect, it is imperative that restrictive legislation — making it more difficult for employers and workers to handle the job of production — should be eliminated. Governmental red tape, governmental "don'ts" and governmental blanks, forms, questionnaires, regulations and restrictions, have been a major factor in slowing down the war effort and have been carried to such extremes that many government departments, instead of being an aid to the people, have become a burden and a nuisance. Bureaucracy is probably the biggest single obstruction to the war effort — and it is time to limit government to its proper functions.

5. The elimination of all "pressure group" legislation, providing special favors for special groups at the expense of the public at large. Pressure-group legislation was one of the abuses which characterized the depression period and much of this legislation is still on the statute books. In this category are all of the so-called make-work measures, designed to create needless "feather-bed jobs, with the present shortage of labor, this type of legislation, if there was ever any use for it, can be excused no longer.

That, to be sure, is not a sensational program, but it is a practical program which would aid in returning State Government to a sound basis — and which would give the people of California assurance that their lawmakers and their public officials are working with them, patriotically and unselfishly, to help the State in meeting its tremendous war-time responsibilities.

The new Legislature, if it does that kind of a job, will go down in the record books as one of the most constructive in the State's history.

NEWARK

Frank E. Pine
Correspondent

Mr. Eph Musick of Thornton Avenue was suddenly called to Crescent City due to the serious illness of his sister last week.

Local 61 Stove Mounters Union held a turkey dinner at the Newark Pavilion on Saturday night January 3. All members present had the pleasure of bringing one guest to the dinner. After the dinner the evening was spent in dancing with music furnished by members of the Local who donated their services. A good time was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Pine attended the annual Yard Stick Turkey Dinner given by the Oakland Tribune at the Scitish Rite

Temple on the night of December 30. Four hundred and fifty people were present at annual affair.

On Saturday morning, January 3, Mrs. Laverne Calderia was presented with a baby son at the Silva Maternity Home. Both mother and son are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Micheal Hoffmen and Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Guerrero motored to Santa Clara on New Year's Day and had their New Year's dinner at Luca's Restaurant.

ALVARADO

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Simoncig spent Monday of this week visiting friends here. The Simoncigs formerly lived in Alvarado before Mr. Simoncig became employed in the Richmond Ship yards and Mrs.

Simoncig at the Hazel Atlas Glass factory in Oakland.

Mr. Manuel Silva Jr., local blacksmith was confined to his home last week due to illness. Mrs. Silva, head of the Womens Department at the Leslie Salt Company remained at home during this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Nunes of Centerville visited with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Jacinto on Sunday. Mr. Jacinto had remained home from his job as welder in one of the Richmond ship yards due to illness.

Miss Lorraine Alameda a student at W.U.H.S. has accepted a part time job with the California Nursery Co., in Niles.

Ten percent of the 1942 farm production value of the entire United States was produced in California.

DECOTO NEWS

Mrs. Edmund Francis
Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Perez are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a baby girl.

The Misses Josephine and Mary Bernardo, and Tony Bernardo, enjoyed their dinner on New Year's Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boyes in San Jose.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Francis celebrated New Year's Eve in Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. John Enos, Sr., Mrs. Alice Enos and Mrs. Helen Milina, visited Clarence Mathews on Sunday, who is critically ill in an Oakland Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Muniz enjoyed their dinner on New Year's Day in Oakland.

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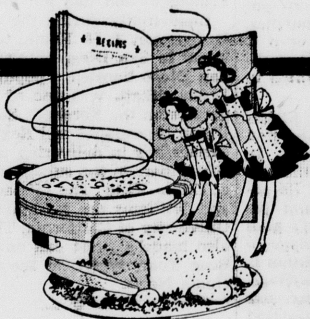
Mrs. Frank Janeiro is recovering at her home here from a recent illness.

Rose Marie Gonsalves, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gonsalves, is confined to her home with a severe cold.



SAFeway Homemakers' Guide

★ Meal planning in wartime ★ About ceiling prices
★ Wife gets smart, makes husband happy



Meal Planning in Wartime

We're making readjustments everywhere these days. Meals are likely to be a bit topsy-turvy with eggs, for example, going over to the dinner menu, and being replaced at breakfast with whole grain cereals. But even if foods have to be shifted around, our meals shouldn't... mustn't be lopsided or out of balance.

Nutrition's the Thing

The pace we've set for ourselves on the home front makes it doubly important that we get our full quota of health and energy-giving vitamins, minerals, proteins and other food essentials. It takes a bit of maneuvering so precious vitamins are not sacrificed.

That's where a simple, working knowledge of nutrition pays dividends. If you have more than a flavor acquaintance with foods... if you know what each contributes to the well being of the family, then it is a simple matter of nutritional calculation to know what replacements to make on the menu.

For instance, if you've used your quota of meat for the time, then you can build your menu around other protein-rich foods such as eggs, cheese, dried beans and peas, fish or fowl. Down through the menu you can go replacing those limited foods with more plentiful ones which contribute the same nutritional elements.

Avoid Monotony

As the variety of foods grows less, meals are likely to become a trifle on the tiresome side. Monotony discourages appetite, and poor appetite cuts down on efficiency. Get out of the cooking rut by serving those day-in-and-day-out foods a little different each time.

Try baking those eggs with cheese or chili sauce, or serve creamed, chopped hard-cooked eggs over steamed rice. A dash of paprika, a few drops of meat sauce, that ever-faithful onion or an iota of spice work wonderful changes in an ordinary dish.

Macaroni and cheese can be varied no end by adding sautéed chopped onion, celery or green pepper or by pointing up the flavor with tomato or chili sauce, a sprinkling of sage or garlic salt.

Wartime Homemakers' Guide

Be sure to get your free copy of the Family Circle Magazine—it's out every Tuesday. In it, you'll find Julia Lee Wright's articles in a new wartime uniform and checked full of ideas, menus, recipes and helpful hints to see you through this culinary upheaval.

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Applicants will be issued a receipt which will serve as a temporary certificate of registration until their tabs and 1943 registration cards are mailed to them by the State Department of Motor Vehicles.

The delay in mailing tabs will depend upon deliveries by the manufacturer. The tabs display a "V" symbol for victory in red on a white background, and go over the year numeral on present plates.

Applications by mail will be received by the Motor Vehicle Department at Sacramento, and by the Automobile Association from members at all club offices. Applicants must send the 1942 registration card and the amount of fees for 1943 (stated in the lower left hand corner). Any change of address should be written on the card.

The Department requests payment by money order or cashier's check, and does not accept personal checks. The Automobile Association will accept personal checks of members made out to the Association. Sending currency or coin by mail is not advised.

The time limit for renewal of registration is February 4.

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AT HOSPITALITY HOUSE AT HOSPITALITY HOUSE

CENTERVILLE—At their regular meeting Tuesday afternoon Saturday January 16th, was announced as the date on which the Housemembers of the Country Club of Washington Township will have charge of the U.S.O. Hospitality House in Oakland. A chairman was appointed for each town in this community who will contact the members for contributions of money, food and service for the day. Service will start at 11:00 a.m. and continue on through the dinner hour at 7:00.

Mrs. Frank Dusterberry is General chairman with Mrs. Loren Marrott and Mrs. Ed Hirsch assisting. Hostesses for the day will be: Mesdames J. Alberg, Gladys Williamson, C. E. Martenstein, Sam Scott, Lewis Adams, A. J. Petsche, Geo. Bonde, John Connelley, J. V. Walton, Ed Hirsch, Albert Hirsch, Wilda Mette, C. E. Anderson, Loren Marrott, Frank Dusterberry, L. S. Williams, and Miss Margaret Fair.

Mrs. Roland Bendel, chairman reported that sixteen service men were entertained in the homes of club members during the holiday season. These men were not regular visitors in our community.

Dr. Gertrude Witherspoon of San Jose State Teachers College addressed the club on "Cosmetics and their Preparation," and she prepared basic creams for the interested audience.

— Bonds for Bombs —

INSTALLATION NIGHT

On Friday night, January 15th, the Niles Rebekah Lodge will hold installation ceremonies which will be conducted by Catherine R. Parry, District Deputy President assisted by Fern Mitte, Deputy Marshall, and the drill team. Mrs. Beatrice Fournier is the Noble Grand Elect. Visitors are expected from all other lodges in this district. Mrs. Irene Kibby is chairman of the decoration committee and Mrs. Anna Bradford is chairman of the refreshment committee.

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Kissing Sheridan Fascinating Work Says Jack Benny

Jack Benny, who Warner Bros. Studio paid (imagine!) to kiss Ann Sheridan, was fascinated with his work.

He arrived early, stayed late, and gave his job everything he's got. He was, in the words of his director, William Keighley, the perfect mime.

He watched Jack during the very first scene of "George Washington Slept Here," in which he plays Ann's husband. The action called for him to trip over their little dog in the hall, then kiss his wife, Ann.

Jack said, "Let's see, now I trip over Ann and kiss — no, that can't be right."

Keighley straightened out the action for him, and Jack all business, settled down for the scene.

Cameras humming, Jack made his entrance in the hall, tripped dutifully, mumbled something incoherent under his breath, and made for Ann.

Then came the kiss. "Cut!" shouted Director Keighley. Then to Jack: "Listen, Jack old man. This is your wife. Your WIFE. Give her a wifely kiss. Don't make a career of it!"

So they shot it over again — over and over, until Jack could dissociate Ann Sheridan, the character. But all the time he was kissing her. And being paid for it!

"George Washington Slept Here" comes next Wednesday and Thursday evenings to the Niles Theatre.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"Sacrament" will be the Lesson-Sermon Sunday, January 10, in all Churches of Christ Scientist. The Golden Text was: "I will take the cup of salvation, and call upon the name of the Lord. I will pay my vows unto the Lord now in the presence of all his people." (Ps. 116: 13, 14).

Other Bible citations included: "Have mercy upon me, O God according to thy lovingkindness: according unto the multitude of thy tender mercies blot out my transgressions. . . Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me. Restore unto me the joy of thy salvation; and uphold me with thy free spirit." (Ps. 51: 1, 10, 12).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Simply asking that we may love God will never make us love Him; but the longing to be better and holier, expressed in daily watchfulness and in striving to assimilate more of the divine character, will mould and fashion us anew, until we awake in His likeness." (p. 4).

find they have expired before you have used them. The first page of stamps in the "A" book, which is composed of eight stamps, will not be honored after midnight, January 21, 1943.

Niles Theatre

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WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY
January 13, 14
JACK BENNY
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Short Subjects — News

Happy New Year!

HAPPY NEW YEAR! These joyous words are now echoing on every side, ringing as a glorious benediction throughout the land. . .

We may rest assured that God's loving presence is ever at hand to protect, sustain, and deliver all who look to Him for help. Clad in the impregnable armor of right thinking, we shall be divinely fortified to go forth and conquer resistance to true progress. We shall be prepared not only to meet but to master difficulties in whatever guise they may appear. We have no reason to doubt that divine Love will care for us this year and in all the years to come, as set forth in the following lines from a hymn (Christian Science Hymnal, No. 115):

"Year by year, Thy hand hath brought us
On through dangers oft unknown.
When we wandered, Thou hast found us;
When we doubted, sent us light;
Still Thine arm has been around us.
All our paths were in Thy sight."

Christ Jesus realized so thoroughly that he lived in the eternal now that he was enabled utterly to dispel all mental suggestions which attempted to argue contrary to this fact. When Jesus was informed that his friend Lazarus was seriously ill, it is related that "he abode two days still in the same place where he was" (John 11:6). Disregarding the false sense of time, he demonstrated his God-given authority over the physical senses, and overcame all forms of limitation and restriction. He has left his example to us, and it is our privilege to follow him in emulating his healing works. . .

It is the custom of many to enter lightly into the making of New Year's resolutions, which are easily and quickly broken because of the lack of spiritual conviction that good can be demonstrated only through prayerful, consecrated thought and effort.

IMPORTED MEXICANS TO WORK AT NURSERY

Fifteen Mexicans reported to the California Nursery Company, here last week accompanied by their own interpreter to engage in agricultural work. They have formerly been employed on a Centerville ranch and are part of a contingent brought from Mexico.

Local arrangements were made through the U.S. Federal Employment Bureau at Hayward, according to George C. Roeding Jr., of the Nursery.



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MINISTERS BREAKFAST

Reverend D. Q. Grabill of the Niles Congregational Church was host on Tuesday morning at the Church House to the members of the Southern Alameda County Ministerial Association. Breakfast was enjoyed and Church business was transacted.

Eduard T. Raun, with the State Department of Education, Bureau of Vocational Rehabilitation was a guest and he gave an instructive talk on his work. He frequently speaks at Township functions.

Mrs. Grabill served an excellent war-time repast which the group greatly enjoyed.

— Bonds for Bombs —

OLD NEWSPAPER MEN MEET AT MASONIC HOME

(Special to the Register)

DECOTO—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rogers, their daughter, Miss Jean and Miss Barbara Williams, of Newark made a New Years call, Sunday, on Mrs. Lillie F. Kellogg, 87 at the Masonic Home. Several years ago Miss Rogers spent a day with Mrs. Kellogg while her mother went shopping in San Francisco, and had not met since. Incidentally during the call, Mr. Rogers met J. H. Heath, whom he knew in San Diego in 1902, when San Diego boasted a population of 18,000. Heath was one of two reporters on the Sprekel's San Diego Union Newspaper and Rogers, as a carrier boy in delivering papers to subscribers in the suburban village of Chula Vista. The Misses Rogers and Williams are freshmen in the University of California. The party also made a short call on Mrs. G. Rose Toor, typist on the Masonic Home News.

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CLUTCH OUT TO START

No matter what kind of oil you have in the transmission, your engine will start easier and take less fuel in starting if you depress the clutch pedal, according to the National Automobile Club. Incidentally, this practice will make your battery last longer. Racing the engine not only pumps raw gasoline into the engine but tends to wash lubricating oil off the cylinder walls causing undue wear on cylinders pistons and piston rings.

S. F. BAY AREA HITS HIGH IN PRODUCTION, POPULATION

SAN FRANCISCO — San Francisco Bay Area embarks on 1943 as one of the nation's most important production and distribution centers with a population soaring a half million over the 1940 Census to pass the two million mark, with war production doubling the employment of a year ago, financial transactions up 21 per cent and retail trade up 22 per cent, according to the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce research department.

Bay area industries have been awarded two billion dollars worth of war supply contracts out of 11 billion dollars for the Pacific Coast and 80 billion dollars for the nation, bringing industrial production volume to an all-time high.

San Francisco itself has become a city of nearly three-quarters of a million people, with its new population of approximately 100,000. The San Francisco post office is now second most important in the nation in mail handled for the armed forces, averaging more than 1,500,000 pieces of first class mail daily.

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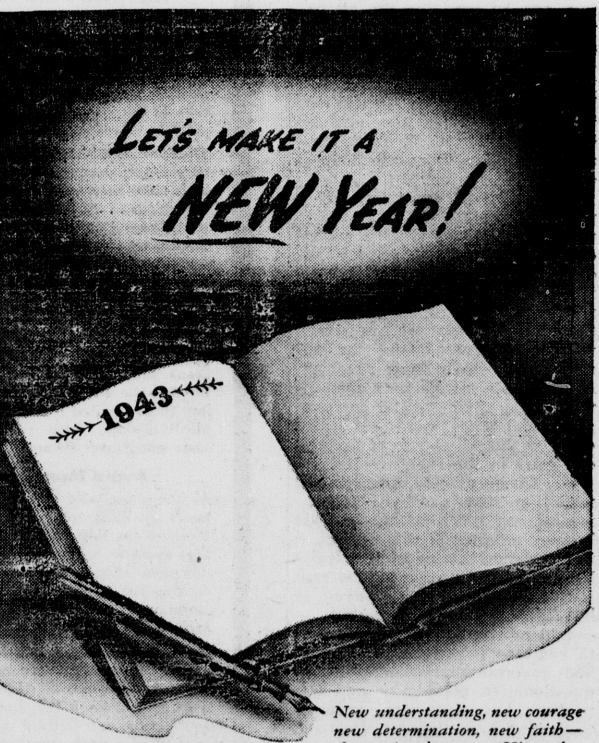
President L. R. Burdick and six other members of the Niles Rotary Club attended the luncheon honoring International President Fernando Carbajal of Peru at Hotel Oakland, last week. Local men among the 300 present were Burdick, C. W. Kraft, James Crawford, Rev. D. Q. Grabill, George Bonde, L. W. Musick and Warren Gravestock.

DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wayne and family entertained at a duck dinner Wednesday evening in their home at Niles for Reverend and Mrs. D. Q. Grabill and daughter Mrs. Kathleen Battaglia, Mr. R. McMillan, San Francisco newspaperman, who is visiting in Niles and Ray Will.

STUDENTS ENJOY FILM

The Students of the Centerville Elementary School enjoyed the educational film, "A Continent is Bridged," which was shown on Monday, January 4, by Mr. W. B. Sutherland.



New understanding, new courage
new determination, new faith—
these point the way to Victory!

Let's write new resolutions upon these clean pages with which begins the record of 1943. Let's shed complacency, smugness, over-confidence. Let's talk less and do more. We've got so much more of luxury, comfort and convenience than any other people on earth that we should write on that blank page:

"RESOLVED, that I shall not complain about

No tires, no tubes.
No new home appliances.
No seat on car or bus.
Rationed sugar, coffee, gasoline

... the many things I must do without now in war to make sure I shall have them again in peace."

"RESOLVED, that I shall...
Waste nothing.
Do no thoughtless spending.
Buy War Bonds and Stamps."

"RESOLVED, that no matter what sacrifice my country may demand of me from now on until the day of Victory, I shall meet it with a smile, and say: That's right! Count me in!"

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